



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Applicant:

David W. Herbage

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Serial No. **10/722,234**

For: **COUNTERMEASURE SYSTEM
AND METHOD OF USING SAME**

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Art Unit: **3641**

Examiner: **Clements, Michelle Renee.**

Attorney Docket No.: **A310429.1US**

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.114
AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Applicant requests continued examination of the above identified application under 37 CFR § 114 and encloses herewith an amendment responsive to the Office Action issued May 25, 2005 and the Advisory Action issued October 11, 2005. Applicant appreciates the thorough review of the subject of the invention in the Office Action and the assessment of the prior art.

Applicant also requests an Extension of Time of an additional two months to extend the time for response to the Office Action to November 25, 2005. Authorization is provided to charge the fee of \$900 for the extension of time and the fee of \$790 for the Request for Continued Examination to Deposit Account No. 502346.

Applicant objects to the Examiner's refusal to consider the Amendment submitted September 23, 2005 for the reason that new issues that would require further consideration and/or search. The issues argued and the amendments to the claims continued the issues argued in the first amendment

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